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OF THE

## Thirty-Third Annual Session

OF THE

# LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

OF THE

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH,

HELD AT

### Hot Springs, Ark., December 8-13, 1886.

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14 John H. Blakely,	41 Lewis M. Keith,	68 John B. Thomas,
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16 *Arthur W. Simmons,	43 Josephus A. Biggs,	70 Samuel C. Stone,
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27 *James R. Sherwood,	54 William A. Steel,	81 Wesley G. Miller.

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### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

\*J. H. Shoppach,  
C. S. Collins,  
R. N. Ross,  
J. G. Thweatt.

### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

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M. M. Kesterson.

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\*J. G. Fair,  
A. C. Steel,  
W. R. White.

### CAMDEN DISTRICT.

J. W. Brown,  
\*D. G. Pipkin,  
\*J. W. Honea,  
A. T. Blount.

### MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

J. P. Clark,  
J. P. Stanley,  
J. A. Clower,  
\*R. A. Bethune.

Those marked \* were not in attendance.

## MINUTES.

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The Thirty-Third session of the Little Rock Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South was held in the Methodist church in Hot Springs, Ark., beginning at 9 a.m., December 8, and closing at 4 p.m., Dec. 13, 1886.

Rev. Bishop Chas. B. Galloway, D. D., presided. J. R. Moore was Secretary; J. G. Thweatt, assistant; R. N. Ross, Statistical Secretary.

W. F. Matlock and C. J. Kienast, alternate lay delegates from the Pine Bluff District, took the places of R. H. M. Mills and J. W. Porter.

J. J. Sumpter, alternate from the Arkadelphia district, took the place of I. N. Runyan.

T. W. Hays, alternate, took the place of J. G. Fair, lay delegate from the Washington District.

Nine a.m. and 12:30 p. m. were fixed as hours of meeting and adjournment.

The inside of the third window from the pulpit was agreed upon as the bar of the Conference.

The following committees were nominated by the presiding Elders, and confirmed by the Conference:

*Public Worship*—H. D. McKinnon, H. R. Withers, J. J. Sumpter.

*Conference Relations*—Jno. McLauchlan, J. D. Whiteside, J. A. Biggs, G. W. Mathews, R. M. Traylor, M. B. Hill and E. N. Watson.

*Books and Periodicals*—Wade Preston, T. W. Hayes, A. T. Blount, J. W. Berry, J. P. Stanley, W. J. Rogers, T. B. Morton, A. Hunter, R. N. Ross, A. Turrentine and T. M. East.

*Temperance*—R. P. Wilson, R. A. Bethune, W. J. Stone, M. M. Kesterson, G. W. Logan, J. W. Honea, J. M. G. Douglass, W. R. White, C. M. Keith, A. R. Hazen, S. C. Stone and J. J. Sumpter.

*District Conference Journals*—A. P. Few, H. H. Watson, L. M. Keith, C. S. Collins and J. R. Cason.

*Bible Cause*—J. H. Gold, A. West, W. F. Matlock, J. P. Clark and J. F. Carr.

## DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

*Question 1. Who are admitted on trial?* Russell R. Moore, Charles L. Adams, Charles B. Brinkley, John C. A. Marshall, Joshua H. Guffey and Robt. G. Turner.

*Question 2. Who remain on trial?* W. A. Cajul, T. D. Scott, R. W. McKay, N. E. Bragg, S. A. Hill, W. C. Adams, R. T. Nabors, J. A. Sage.

*Question 3. Who are discontinued?* None.

*Question 4. Who are admitted into full connection?* J. A. Baker, W. R. Harrison, J. H. Callaway, W. A. Freeman, L. W. House, J. Y. Christmas, W. W. Mills and J. W. F. Scott.

*Question 5. Who are re-admitted?* None.

*Question 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?* Samuel N. Burns, from the Arkansas Conference.

*Question 7. Who are the deacons of one year?* A. O. Evans, A. West, O. H. Keadle, G. W. Logan, J. B. Thomas, J. R. Cason, J. W. Berry, J. T. Rascoe, A. P. Few and R. T. Davis.

Question 8. *What traveling preachers are elected deacons?* J. A. Baker, J. H. Callaway, W. A. Freeman, L. W. House, J. Y. Christmas, W. W. Mills and J. W. F. Scott.

Question 9. *What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?* J. A. Baker, J. H. Callaway, W. A. Freeman, L. W. House, J. Y. Christmas, W. W. Mills and J. W. F. Scott.

Question 10. *What local preachers are elected deacons?* Hiram M. Harris and W. A. Cajul.

Question 11. *What local preachers are ordained deacons?* Hiram M. Harris and W. A. Cajul.

Question 12. *What traveling preachers are elected elders?* Edwin L. Beard, Samuel H. Parker and Moses B. Hill.

Question 13. *What traveling preachers are ordained elders?* E. L. Beard, S. H. Parker and M. B. Hill.

Question 14. *What local preachers are elected elders?* None.

Question 15. *What local preachers are ordained elders?* J. Asbury Clower.

Question 16. *Who are located this year?* A. M. Robertson, W. S. Scott, at their own request.

Question 17. *Who are supernumerary?* J. Turrentine, J. R. Harvey, W. J. Davis and B. E. Mitchell.

Question 18. *Who are superannuated?* R. H. Saunders, A. W. Simmons, A. Avery, J. H. Blakely, Benjamin Watson, B. G. Johnson, J. E. Caldwell, W. J. Scott and J. C. Rhodes.

Question 19. *What preachers have died during the past year?* None.

Question 20. *Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?* Their names were called one by one, and their characters were all passed, except F. H. Redwine, who was expelled.

Question 21. *What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference?* Local preachers, 166; members, 22,625.

Question 22. *How many infants have been baptised during the year?* 720.

Question 23. *How many adults have been baptised during the year?* 1920.

Question 24. *What is the number of Sunday-schools?* 315.

Question 25. *What is the number of Sunday-school teachers?* 1747.

Question 26. *What is the number of Sunday-school scholars?* 13,116.

Question 27. *What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?* \$3145.

Question 28. *What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?* \$2299.54.

Sister Colburn, \$10.20, paid to T. H. Ware.

Sister Robertson, \$167.55, paid to S. C. Stone.

Sister Stanley, \$25.20, paid to J. A. Sage.

Sister Pryor, \$75.20, paid to H. W. Brooks.

Sister Weir, \$40.20, paid to R. P. Wilson.

Sister Haskew and child, \$175.40, paid to B. B. McCraw.

Sister Husbands, \$25.20, paid to J. R. Moore.

Sister Marshall, \$100.20, paid to herself.

Sister Laney and children, \$273.90, paid to C. A. Bayless.

Sister Ward, \$50.20, paid to H. D. McKinnon.

Sister Davies, \$75.20, paid to D. T. Holmes.

Sister Greenwood, \$10.20, paid to J. S. Nicholson.

Bro. R. H. Saunders, \$175, paid to himself.

Bro. Gaddie's child, \$50.20, paid to H. W. Brooks.

Bro. B. Watson, \$250, paid to J. F. Carr.

Bro. J. H. Blakely, \$200, paid to J. A. Clower.

Bro. A. W. Simmons, \$175, paid to J. F. Carr.

Bro. A. Avery, \$50, paid to D. T. Holmes.

Bro. Hagan's children, \$100.45, paid to J. A. Biggs.

Bro. J. E. Caldwell, \$275, paid to himself.

Question 29. *What has been contributed for missions?* Foreign, \$4201.71. Domestic, \$1484.71.

*Question 30. What has been contributed for church extension? \$908.95.*

*Question 31. What is the number and what is the estimated value of church edifices? Number, 293; value, \$166,702.*

*Question 32. What is the number and what is the estimated value of parsonages? Number, 40; value, \$24,216.*

*Question 33. What are the educational statistics? One high school building, value, \$1500; joint interest in Central Collegiate Institute.*

*Question 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Little Rock.*

*Question 34. Where are the preachers stationed this year?*

#### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT—H. JEWELL, P. E.

Little Rock, First Church, W. G. Miller.

Little Rock, Fifteenth and Center, A. D. Jenkins.

Benton Station, C. D. McSwain.

Benton Circuit, E. N. Watson.

Collegeville Circuit, S. N. Burns.

Mamelle Circuit, H. Townsend.

Liberty and Pleasant Grove, A. Hunter.

Lonoke Station, A. O. Evans.

Austin Circuit, J. A. Biggs.

Des Arc and Hickory Plains, Z. T. McCann.

Wattensas Circuit, J. R. Sherwood.

Hazen Circuit, R. R. Moore.

Carlisle Circuit, L. M. Keith.

Galloway Circuit, S. H. Parker.

A. R. Winfield, Editor Arkansas Methodist.

#### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT—T. H. WARE, P. E.

Pine Bluff Station, J. F. Carr.

Sheridan Circuit, J. Y. Christmas.

Toledo Circuit, J. W. Berry.

New Edinburg Circuit, G. W. Mathews.

Lehi Circuit, C. M. Keith.

Auburn Circuit, to be supplied by R. H. Poynter.

De Witt Circuit, N. E. Bragg.

Stuttgart Circuit, R. W. McKay.

White River Circuit, C. B. Brinkley.

Old River Circuit, W. J. Stone.

Flat Bayou Circuit, W. J. Rogers.

Redfield Circuit, R. T. Davis.

#### ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT—C. C. GODDEN, P. E.

Arkadelphia Station, John McLauchlan.

Okolona Circuit, M. B. Hill.

Clark Circuit, J. A. Baker.

Amity Circuit, C. A. Bayless.

Gurdon Circuit, J. M. Cline.

Buckville Circuit, W. A. Cajul.

Mt. Ida Circuit, J. C. A. Marshall.

Hot Springs Station, H. R. Withers.  
W. J. Davis, Sup.

Hot Springs Mission, W. A. Steel.

Hot Springs Circuit, J. S. Nicholson.

Malvern Station, S. C. Stone.

Malvern Circuit, R. C. Atchley.

Social Hill Circuit, A. West.

Tulip Circuit, W. R. Harrison.

Murfreesboro Circuit, E. Garrett.

Princeton Circuit, A. Turrentine.

#### WASHINGTON DISTRICT—J. H. RIGGIN, P. E.

Washington Circuit, J. R. Sanders.

Fulton Circuit, J. A. Sage.

Hope Station, L. B. Hawley.

Prescott Station, R. M. Traylor.

Emmett Circuit, D. T. Holmes.

Mineral Springs Circuit, A. B. Winfield.  
J. R. Harvey, Sup.

Center Point Circuit, J. M. G. Douglass.

Richmond and Rocky Comfort, W. C. Adams.

Little River Mission, J. H. Guffey.

Peytonville Circuit, to be supplied by F. F. English.

Lockesburg Circuit, J. T. Rascoe.

Chapel Hill Circuit, T. G. Galloway.

B. E. Mitchell, Sup.

Saline Circuit, J. H. Callaway.

Cove Circuit, to be supplied by J. B. Williams.

Dallas Circuit, to be supplied by A. P. Alexander.

Silver Springs Mission, to be supplied.

#### CAMDEN DISTRICT—J. J. JENKINS, P. E.

Camden Station, J. R. Moore.

Camden Circuit, J. R. Cason.

Ouachita Circuit, C. L. Adams.

Carolina Circuit, H. Armstrong.

Stephens Circuit, G. W. Logan.

Atlanta Circuit, T. D. Scott. J. Turrentine, Sup.

Eldorado Circuit, J. H. Gold.

Buckner Circuit, O. H. Keadle.  
 Bright Star Circuit, R. T. Nabors.  
 Texarkana Circuit, W. W. Mills.  
 Magnolia Station, Wade Preston.

Lapile Circuit, W. A. Freeman.  
 Fordyce Circuit, H. H. Watson.  
 Bearden Mission, J. B. Thomas.

#### MONTICELLO DISTRICT—H. D. McKINNON, P. E.

Monticello Station, B. B. McCraw.  
 Mt. Pleasant Circuit, J. M. D. Sturgis.  
 Selma Circuit, E. L. Beard.  
 Arkansas City, W. H. Browning.  
 Holly Grove Circuit, L. W. House.  
 Lake Village and Lake Port, A. P. Few.

Lacey Circuit, J. D. Whiteside.  
 Hamburg Station, H. W. Brooks.  
 Hamburg Circuit, J. W. F. Scott.  
 Bartholomew Circuit, R. G. Turner.  
 Palestine Circuit, S. A. Hill.  
 Warren Circuit, R. P. Wilson.

TRANSFERRED: A. T. Galloway to Louisiana, John P. Holmes to Northwest Texas, and A. S. Scott to Los Angeles Conference.

## GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

### RESOLUTIONS.

*Resolved*, That, upon our arrival to our new charges, we will present the cause of our churches in Charleston, S. C., for help.

A. HUNTER.

*Resolved*, That we will take our collections for Foreign Missions during the first quarter.

*Resolved*, That we will regard our assessments as the minimum.

A. HUNTER,  
 J. R. MOORE.

*Resolved*, That J. R. Moore be, and is hereby, requested to edit and publish our Conference minutes, and that J. R. Sanders and J. R. Cason be appointed to canvass the Conference and secure pledges sufficient to insure him against loss.

J. H. RIGGIN,  
 H. D. McKINNON.

*Resolved*, That Dr. A. Hunter be earnestly requested to publish his semi-centennial sermon.

J. H. RIGGIN,  
 W. G. MILLER.

*Resolved*, That this Conference is under obligations to Bro. J. L. Wadley, editor of the Hot Springs Daily News, for the care and ability he has displayed in reporting our proceedings, and especially for the generous offer to donate the proceeds of one week's subscription, at twenty-five cents per week, to the Conference Fund.

T. H. WARE,  
 R. P. WILSON.

*Resolved*, That our thanks are heartily tendered to the citizens of Hot Springs for their kind and generous hospitality; also to the city churches, street railway, bath houses and the different railroads, for courtesies extended to us.

C. D. McSWAIN,  
 W. A. STEEL.

### VISITORS.

Rev. John O. Willson, of the South Carolina Conference; Rev. S. J. Hawkins, of the North Texas Conference; Rev. C. Pope, President of the Millersburg Female College; W. H. Vernor, D. D., Superintendent of the American Bible Society; E. E. Hoss, D. D., Vanderbilt University; L. D. Palmer, Business Manager of the Publishing House; Rev. J. C. Alexander, of the Southwestern Methodist; Rev. I.

L. Burrow, President of the Central Collegiate Institute; David Morton, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Church Extension; Rev. A. Monk, of the North Alabama Conference; Rev. V. V. Harlan, Agent of the Central Collegiate Institute, and Rev. C. H. Carey, of the Arkansas Conference, were visitors to the Conference.

### PREACHING.

There were many sermons preached by members and visitors of the Conference, and the various churches kindly opened their doors to the Conference, except the Episcopal.

### COLLECTIONS

Were taken for the following objects and persons:

The churches in Charleston, S. C.....	\$ 81 00
Rev. J. C. Rhodes.....	53 25
Church Extension.....	23 50
Rev. Rooks.....	33 05
Missions.....	235 00
The new church in Murfreesboro.....	200 00
Church at Buckville.....	30 00

### AN EPISODE.

In the consideration of Question 20, when the name of A. Hunter was called, that venerable man, after reading his report, stated that in the Providence of God he had completed his fiftieth year in the itinerancy in Arkansas, and had answered to his name at roll call at every session except three.

### THE MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY

Was held on Saturday night, at which addresses were made by Dr. W. G. Miller and Bishop Galloway, and the collection was manipulated by Dr. Winfield.

## REPORTS.

### REPORT No. 1 OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We rejoice to report advancement among our people on the subject of Christian education. In proportion as the preachers are faithful in presenting the subject as the Discipline requires, is there progress. No education is wholesome which does not develop the moral as well as the mental faculties. We believe that the Bible should be used in our public schools, and the preachers should so teach our people.

Prof. Hoss represents Vanderbilt University to be more prosperous than ever before. There are about six hundred matriculates. The Biblical department has increased about 50 per cent.

We are instructed to say that young preachers who are sufficiently advanced to enter the Biblical department can receive help from the sustentation fund. Provision has also been made by which those who cannot enter this department may receive help.

We recognize in the Vanderbilt the grandest school in the south. Her professors are for the most part young, but ripe in scholarship and experience. Her endowment and other funds place her in position to furnish the most superior university education.

*Resolved*, That we fully indorse the general management of Vanderbilt University, and that we will take pleasure in recommending its advantages for furnishing Christian education.



## REPORT No. 2.

We have had before us the report of the trustees of Bingen Institute, which we have carefully examined. The school has accomplished good. It is thought advisable to retain our connection with it. We do not find an available man to place in the school, and recommend that the place be supplied by the Presiding Elder and Board of Trustees.

Central Collegiate Institute was represented by President Burrow and Rev. V. V. Harlan, agent. We incorporate a part of the annual report of the Board of Trustees, to-wit:

"We call your attention to a few needs of the school which can be met without any trouble or expense to hurt any one:

"1. An increased patronage, which is absolutely necessary to meet the salaries of teachers already engaged.

"2. We would respectfully call your attention to the claims of those young men who are preparing for the active ministry. There is an expressed desire for a special course in divinity, and we will add that it would be of great benefit to those young men, and better enable them to serve the church when the school course is ended. The young men are ready to organize, and an efficient teacher, a Vanderbilt theologian of several years experience, who will give to the class four to six hours per week, at a nominal cost of one dollar per month for each student. We would suggest that the pastoral charges from which the young men come, be requested to furnish \$10 for lectures and \$5 for books, the books to be left with the department to constitute a library for divinity students who may seek the advantages of this department in the future.

"We believe that the preachers by a little effort might secure a large number of valuable books to constitute at least a nucleus for a large library to supply supplementary readings for the school. This can be done by soliciting donations from those who are able and willing, waiting only for an opportunity.

"And we finally call your attention to the importance of unifying and solidifying our church-school interests. This can be done only by a board of commissioners appointed by the Bishop from each of the three Conferences of the state, who shall have authority to devise the plan and report at our next session for action final.

"A commission of three members from each conference board would be sufficient. But before such commission could be formed White River Conference should be induced to join us in our school enterprises.

"The report of the agent gives the following showing up to date:

"Paid of purchase money.....	\$ 3701 62
Paid on improvements.....	266 40
Traveling and incidental expenses .....	350 08
Salary of agent.....	800 00
Cash in hand.....	118 00

"In addition to the above we have in unpaid subscriptions about \$6000. The total cash and subscription collections for the past year are a little over \$5000. There is a balance due on the purchase money of \$8798.38, and of this amount about \$6000 is provided for in subscription, leaving about \$2798.38 unprovided for."

WHEREAS, The progress already made by this institution, gives strong assurance of ultimate success; and realizing the necessity of such an institution, therefore

*Resolved*, That we will use our utmost endeavors to increase the patronage of Central Collegiate Institute.

*Resolved*, That we accept the wise plan of the Board of Trustees, contained in their report, by which a library can be established.

*Resolved*, That educational mass-meetings be held during the coming year at convenient times and places for inspiring our people to greater zeal in our educational enterprises.

*Resolved*, That we fully indorse the management of this institution, and that we will heartily co-operate with Rev. V. V. Harlan in the financial plans which he and the Board of Trustees shall inaugurate.

*Resolved*, That we appoint Rev. A. Hunter, J. R. Moore, H. W. Brooks, J. J. Jenkins and R. N. Ross as our representatives on the Board of Trustees of Central Collegiate Institute.



*Resolved*, That, in order to unify and centralize our influence in establishing a worthy school, we ask the White River Conference to join us in the enterprise, and that Dr. A. Hunter represent us before said Conference.

H. W. BROOKS, *Chairman*.

## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

### ABSTRACT OF REPORT No. 1.

The quadrennial report of our Publishing House to the General Conference appears to have been prepared with great care and honesty.

The assets of the house expanded 42 per cent. during the quadrennium. The debt was retired 64 per cent. The circulation of the *Advocate* increased 53 per cent. and the Sunday-school periodicals 52 per cent. These achievements justify the expectation of the entire deliverance of the Publishing House from all embarrassment at an early day.

We invite special attention to the enterprise of C. C. Godden & Co., Little Rock, who carry our publications at Nashville prices, and offer to the preachers and other dealers the same discounts as the Nashville house. By patronizing this house we make a great saving in freight and express charges, thus making it to our advantage, and no detriment will accrue to the Publishing House. Let us rally to it, and build up a most potent factor for good.

The Nashville *Advocate*, Sunday-school periodicals and *Review* are all that could reasonably be expected, and the Committee hope their circulation and the spread of our more substantial publications will be pressed by all the agencies of the church.

### REPORT No. 2.

Your Committee has had under careful and prayerful consideration the communication from A. R. Winfield & Co., pertaining to the *Arkansas Methodist*. The sentiment of the Committee is, that, as a Conference, we cannot afford to dispense with the paper, and that we must encourage it with our active sympathy, labor and material support. In the main, we are highly pleased with the paper, as an active, newsy, live, broad and courageous paper, greatly aiding the church and preachers in all branches of their work; in fact, an indispensable part of our ecclesiastical machinery.

Your Committee fears the experiment, indicated in the communication, of raising the price of the paper to \$2 per annum for subscriptions not paid strictly in advance.

We offer the following resolutions for your adoption:

1. That we continue the *Arkansas Methodist* as the official organ of the Little Rock Conference.
2. That we request the Presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. A. R. Winfield, D. D., as the editor of the *Arkansas Methodist*.
3. That we appoint Revs. A. Hunter, H. Jewell and A. D. Jenkins, a Publishing Committee, to act in concert with similar committees of other patronizing conferences, in the publication of the *Arkansas Methodist*.
4. That we fully indorse the course and position of the *Arkansas Methodist* on the temperance question.

WADE PRESTON, *Chairman*.

T. W. HAYES, *Secretary*.

## TEMPERANCE.

Temperance seems to lie at the very basis of civil government, the home sanctity, the tap-root of our holy religion, and to constitute the great question of the age.

With profound gratitude to the great Giver of every good and perfect gift, we make mention of the large measure of success that has been achieved by temperance workers. Within the last two years the increase, numerically, in the State of Arkansas, has been cheering in a marked degree, having attained to a net increase at the ballot-box, of about 25,000.

But that of which we, as lovers of our home institutions, the purity of the church, and the dignity and integrity of the State, have chief cause to indulge thankfulness is the startling revolution of public sentiment, that today wells up like a tidal wave that threatens to sweep all opposition before it. All creeds and colors, and almost all classes, are stepping into line boldly, showing a willingness, and in many instances an eagerness, for the contest.

So that we are persuaded by the very many strong facts that seem to indicate a sentiment so universal and healthy, that the time is near at hand for us to guard our interests, if possible, by a constitutional amendment, submitting this question of such exceeding moment to the popular vote, lest Arkansas become the receptacle of large numbers of the lowest grade of men and women, debauched by the whisky traffic, driven by our sister states from their borders by wholesome legislation, that we may be fatally slow in adopting.

A glorious era seems to be dawning upon us. The clouds, the accumulations of centuries, appear to be rifting, and the morning light of cheer and hope is breaking.

And we feel that having marched in the van in the thickest of the fight, that for no consideration should we, at this hour of victory, be placed in the rear, nor for a moment rest upon the laurels gained, but aggressively push the fight to the very gates of the enemy, until the strong heel of temperance grinds upon the already bruised neck of the chief agent of the emissary of hell.

*Resolved*, That intemperance is the great national evil of today.

*Resolved*, That it shall be the duty of each pastor in the Little Rock Conference to preach to each of his congregations specially upon this subject, during the present Conference year.

*Resolved*, That this Conference request the enactment by the Legislature of the State of Arkansas of such laws as will effectually prevent and sever the "jug line," by which many prohibition districts are now being outraged.

S. C. STONE, *Chairman*.

## MISSIONS.

### REPORT No. I.

The Board of Missions have had under careful consideration the communication of the Secretary of the Parent Board, Dr. I. G. John.

They feel that a great necessity is upon the Church. The work in the fields the Master has opened to us is arrested for the want of means to prosecute it. Your Board feel that the agencies the Church has provided for the dissemination of information and for enlarging the collections are admirably adapted to those ends if we will only employ them.

Your Board, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following

### RESOLUTIONS:

1. It is the sense of this Conference that it is important to hold missionary anniversaries in each Presiding Elder's district, as provided for in Art. 13 of our Missionary Constitution, and that these anniversaries be held in connection with the District Conference, and that the Presiding Elders shall provide for them.

2. We call attention to the missionary mass-meetings projected at the last meeting of the Parent Board. We recommend that these meetings be held whenever practicable in the leading centers of our conference territory, and at our camp meetings. The Bishops and other members of the Parent Board have pledged their cordial co-operation in this movement.

3. Your Board recommend that our preachers make persistent effort to circulate the *Advocate of Missions*, especially among the families of our own people. Its columns will be filled with information concerning our own mission fields, and also what other churches are doing for the spread of the Gospel.

4. Inasmuch as Art. 4 of our Missionary Constitution places the Sunday-school among the agencies to be enlisted in our mission work, your Board suggests that the attention of both pastors and Sunday-school workers be called to this fact. Each Sunday-school should be a part of our missionary organization.

ANDREW HUNTER, *President*.

### DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS.

Your Committee on District Conference Journals have had before them the records of all the Districts in the Conference except the Pine Bluff District, and have given them examination with the following results:

1. The *Little Rock* District Journal is a model of neatness, elegant penmanship, lucid arrangement and correctness in every particular, and a good *book*. It is a perfect work.

2. The *Arkadelphia* District Journal is the best *book* in the lot, and a most excellent and perfect record. It is another perfect work.

3. The *Camden* District Journal is a beautifully written work, and gives a very clear and full account of all the proceedings of the Conference, and in a fairly good book. We note the following defects, and recommend greater care at these points, viz: 1. There are no marginal references or indexing, but the subjects and business that should have been itemized and indexed on the margin are all incorporated in the body of the record, and there is not sufficient spacing observed between the different subjects and items of business. 2. Several errors in spelling and a few grammatical mistakes are found. The singular form of the verb is sometimes used when the plural is in demand. *Until* is invariably spelled with two *t*'s. *T* is often used in spelling *extension* instead of *s*, and other similar inaccuracies. The scribe of this record rarely dots an *i* or crosses a *t*. It can hardly be necessary to transcribe the roll of membership at the re-assembling of the Conference, after being organized and in session as is done in this record on page 181. With attention to these and similar points the record may be much improved.

4. *Washington* District Journal: This is a common, old day-book, much worn. The penmanship is fairly good, and the record quite full and comprehensive. We suggest closer attention to orthography, as we note some twenty errors. The word *business* is invariably misspelled. Another objectionable feature is that no margin is observed, but the entire page is covered with the record of the proceedings, which makes it difficult for reference. There is not sufficient spacing observed in the body of the record, and the minutes are not properly signed by the President of the Conference.

5. *Monticello* District Journal is kept on common letter paper, pasted in the back of the District Conference Record Book, issued from our Publishing House, and is, therefore, objectionable at this point. The penmanship is ordinarily neat and legible, with proper marginal indexing, and would be a good record but for the fact noted above, and the record is not properly signed by the President.

We recommend the adoption of the following

### RESOLUTIONS.

1. That all our District Conferences be requested to see that their Secretaries procure good and substantial books for their records, either those prepared by our Publishing House or *better* ones, and that they instruct their Secretaries to record the minutes in no other kind.

2. That the Secretary of this Annual Conference be requested to see that each District Conference shall have a copy of this report and of these resolutions by their next session.

L. M. KEITH, *Chairman*.

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BIBLE CAUSE.

By examining the Seventieth Annual Report of the American Bible Society, we see that Arkansas stands next to New York in the number of churches taking and reporting collections for this purpose, and also in the amount contributed in this way.

We further see that the M. E. Church, South, exceeds all her sister denominations in the state, contributing about one-half of all given in this way.

And the Little Rock Conference gives a little more than seventy-four per cent. of the whole amount contributed by our church in the state. Arkansas has seventy-one auxiliary societies, and only ten states in the Union have a greater number. They are, Michigan 72, Kentucky 79, Minnesota 80, Wisconsin 90, New York 97, Georgia 104, Texas 122, Illinois 127, Iowa 153, Ohio 161.

Our Conference is credited with \$219.69 contributed during the year ended March 31, 1886. This is almost nothing in comparison with what we ought to do. We have eighty-two pastoral charges. If each would give \$5 it would nearly double the collection. Our minutes last year showed 18,257 members. Two cents per member would amount to \$364.18, and five cents each would raise the handsome sum of \$912.25. Surely if we cannot reach the greater of these two sums, we should not fall below the lesser.

We submit the following

## RESOLUTIONS:

1. That each pastor will take his collection in January or early in February next, and will immediately forward it to the agent at Little Rock, so that he can report it in time to be embodied in the next annual report of the American Bible Society.

2. That we will report carefully the amounts collected by us, to the Statistical Secretary of the next Annual Conference.

JOHN H. GOLD, *Chairman.*

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SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The report of the Board failed to reach the Secretary, hence does not appear.

## STATISTICS.

## LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Local Preachers.	White Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	Ad. Its Baptised.	Infants Baptised.	No of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages.
Little Rock, 1st Ch..	2	276	24	..	8	24	1	\$ 16,000 00	..	\$ .....	\$ 200 00	\$ 660 00
Little Rock, Spring st	1	221	14	..	14	3	1	3,500 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Benton Station.....	1	226	32	..	19	6	1	700 00	..	.....	.....	32 00
Benton Circuit.....	3	615	53	..	64	36	9	2,600 00	..	.....	250 00	200 00
Collegeville Circuit..	4	392	..	80	14	9	4	4,150 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Mamelle Circuit.....	1	228	..	18	6	2	3	400 00	..	.....	300 00	300 00
Liberty and Pleasant Grove.....	..	33	3	..	2	5	1	500 00	..	.....	500 00	.....
Lonoke Station.....	2	142	28	..	10	8	1	1,500 00	1	550 00	.....	40 00
Austin Circuit.....	4	700	128	..	100	50	7	3,700 00	1	300 00	300 00	250 00
Hickory Plains.....	2	291	36	..	17	2	4	1,000 00	..	.....	.....	70 00
Des Arc Station.....	1	140	20	..	11	7	1	2,000 00	1	740 00	.....	10 00
Hazen Circuit.....	1	214	57	..	39	..	4	2,400 00	..	.....	.....	1000 00
Car isle Circuit.....	1	222	14	..	16	5	3	1,500 00	..	.....	.....	50 00
Galloway Circuit.....	..	140	..	..	23	29	5	1,000 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Total .....	23	3845	409	98	343	186	45	\$ 40,950 00	3	\$ 1590 00	\$ 1550 00	\$ 2612 00
Total last year....	23	3744	..	..	373	171	37	42,500 00	3	1540 00	1250 00	6830 40
Increase .....	..	101	..	..	..	15	8	..	..	50 00	300 00	..
Decrease.....	..	..	..	..	30	..	..	1,550 00	..	..	..	4218 40

## ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Arkadelphia Station.	2	208	14	..	12	5	1	\$ 3,500 00	1	\$ 1000 00	\$ 1600 00	\$ 25 00
Clark Circuit.....	3	584	..	16	29	6	6	2,600 00	1	600 00	500 00	315 15
Amity Circuit.....	2	252	..	2	20	4	3	1,175 00	1	250 00	25 00	54 00
Gurdon Circuit.....	2	267	23	..	17	8	3	2,500 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Caddo Circuit.....	7	384	9	..	10	9	7	1,000 00	1	100 00	.....	28 00
Cedar Glades Circuit	1	147	8	..	9	1	3	600 00	1	150 00	.....	47 50
Mt. Ida Circuit.....	2	326	26	..	13	15	2	175 00	1	240 00	.....	40 00
Hot Springs Station.	2	276	..	19	9	4	1	10,000 00	1	2500 00	2500 00	.....
Hot Springs Circuit.	4	290	5	..	15	7	4	800 00	..	.....	500 00	.....
Malvern Station.....	1	277	..	..	3	6	1	1,000 00	1	2000 00	.....	155 92
Malvern Circuit. ....	..	471	58	..	38	7	5	1,350 00	..	.....	.....	600 00
Social Hill Circuit....	4	408	18	..	15	2	6	1,350 00	1	200 00	.....	.....
Tulip Circuit.....	..	461	119	..	84	18	8	3,100 00	1	300 00	.....	160 00
Princeton Circuit.....	3	484	..	13	11	10	9	4,507 00	1	500 00	.....	138 00
Murfreesboro Circuit	3	400	104	..	68	10	1	500 00	..	.....	350 00	500 00
Total .....	36	5236	384	50	353	112	60	\$ 34,157 00	11	\$ 7840 00	\$ 5475 00	\$ 2063 57
Total last year....	37	4570	..	..	617	224	58	23,675 00	11	7017 35	745 00	.....
Increase .....	..	666	..	..	..	..	2	10,482 00	..	822 65	4730 00	1799 00
Decrease .....	1	..	..	..	264	112	..	..	..	..	..	.....

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Circuit.	2	471	65	..	60	14	6	\$ 3,750 00	..	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ 7 65
Fulton Circuit.....	..	287	56	..	54	11	4	1,300 00	..	.....	120 00	75 00
Hope Station.....	2	165	30	..	19	4	1	1,200 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Prescott Station.....	2	160	..	21	1	4	1	1,500 00	1	800 00	.....	55 00
Midway Circuit.....	5	464	17	..	23	16	6	1,400 00	1	50 00	.....	400 00
Mineral Springs Ct...	6	280	34	..	19	12	4	2,000 00	1	100 00	.....	900 00
Center Point.....	5	490	30	..	35	7	6	3,500 00	1	500 00	500 00	150 00
Rocky Comfort and Richmond .....	2	110	21	..	8	14	2	2,500 00	1	600 00	.....	500 00
Little River Circuit..	..	178	50	..	32	8	..	.....	..	.....	40 00	.....
Peytonville Circuit...	1	231	19	..	20	..	..	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
Locksburg Circuit...	6	375	26	..	25	6	4	1,800 00	1	300 00	.....	25 00
Chapel Hill Circuit...	5	328	107	..	58	22	1	300 00	1	2300 00	.....	30 00
Saline Circuit.....	3	319	..	15	7	2	5	800 00	..	.....	.....	.....
Cove Mission.....	1	150	36	..	2	..	..	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	11	368	33	..	19	13	2	350 00	..	.....	.....	10 00
Total .....	51	3976	524	36	372	133	42	\$ 20,400 00	7	\$ 2580 00	\$ 660 00	\$ 2152 65
Total last year....	64	4284	..	..	292	140	41	21,105 00	8	3355 00	1000 00	153 35
Increase .....	..	..	..	..	80	..	1	..	..	..	..	299 30
Decrease.....	13	308	..	..	..	7	..	705 00	1	775 00	343 00	.....

## PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

CHARGES	Local Preachers	White Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	Adults Baptised	Infants Baptised.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Church Property	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages.
Pine Bluff Station...	3	257	...	...	17	14	1	\$ 6,000 00	1	\$ 2,500 00	...	\$ 900 00
Sheridan Circuit...	3	406	10	...	26	14	7	1,800 00	...	...	...	...
Toledo Circuit...	4	240	...	...	17	6	5	2,000 00	1	30 00	...	100 00
New Edenburg Ct...	1	355	30	...	27	1	8	2,200 00	...	...	...	...
Lehi Circuit...	2	333	131	...	73	2	6	2,400 00	...	...	...	...
Star City Circuit...	...	157	...	7	10	8	1	350 00	...	...	...	...
Auburn Circuit...	1	137	88	...	25	18	5	1,500 00	...	...	...	15 00
Dewitt Circuit...	3	263	53	...	35	...	1	1,000 00	1	150 00	...	...
White River Circuit...	2	280	44	...	38	5	3	500 00	...	...	...	...
Old River Circuit...	...	54	15	...	11	3	1	1,000 00	...	...	...	...
Flat Bayou Circuit...	1	197	20	...	9	6	3	2,000 00	...	...	...	150 00
Pine Bluff Mission...	4	184	69	...	7	2	3	795 65	...	...	325 00	11 50
Arkansas Post...	...	217	40	...	25	10	...	...	...	...	...	60 00
Total .....	21	3080	500	7	320	89	44	\$21,545 65	3	\$ 2,680 00	\$ 325 00	\$ 1,236 50
Total last year...	21	2234	...	...	101	72	35	22,000 00	4	3,100 00	10 00	731 25
Increase .....	...	846	...	...	219	17	9	...	...	...	315 00	504 25
Decrease .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	454 35	1	420 00	...	...

## CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Camden Station...	...	210	40	...	25	4	1	\$ 2,500 00	1	\$ 2,000 00	\$ 150 00	\$ 195 00
Camden Circuit...	3	350	40	...	30	15	5	2,350 00	1	300 00	50 00	3,000 00
Ouachita Circuit...	2	286	30	...	17	3	6	950 00	...	...	...	750 00
Carolina Circuit...	3	345	70	...	22	15	6	2,650 00	...	...	...	...
Buckner Circuit...	...	380	48	...	35	9	4	1,200 00	...	...	500 00	...
Magnolia Station...	...	140	46	...	23	8	1	1,500 00	...	...	162 00	...
Sephens Circuit...	3	409	72	...	46	15	6	3,200 00	1	1,000 00	...	1,507 00
Atlanta Circuit...	...	287	42	...	29	...	7	1,150 00	...	...	...	...
ElDorado Circuit...	2	350	75	...	52	3	5	2,700 00	1	450 00	...	21 75
Lapile Circuit...	2	400	...	...	6	6	9	2,000 00	1	300 00	...	...
Hampton Circuit...	...	220	...	...	1	1	3	1,400 00	1	250 00	...	...
Barden Mission...	2	188	...	...	7	4	5	1,500 00	...	...	...	...
Bright Star Circuit...	1	226	8	...	7	8	4	2,700 00	1	300 00	...	...
Texarkana Circuit...	2	226	10	...	12	8	3	300 00	1	150 00	...	...
Total .....	20	3935	481	...	312	99	65	\$ 26,100 00	8	\$ 4,750 00	\$ 862 00	\$ 2,517 75
Total last year...	18	3427	...	...	184	114	58	25,080 00	8	3,825 00	1,177 00	2,166 65
Increase .....	2	508	...	...	128	...	7	1,020 00	...	920 00	...	351 10
Decrease .....	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	315 00	...

## MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

Monticello Station...	1	179	82	...	57	12	1	\$ 1,000 00	1	\$ 1,000 00	...	...
Mount Pleasant Ct...	3	471	76	...	36	14	4	3,600 00	1	600 00	...	952 00
Selma Circuit...	2	219	...	...	3	7	3	2,400 00	1	750 00	100 00	...
Arkansas City Sta...	...	29	5	...	4	7	1	2,200 00	1	300 00	...	500 00
Holly Grove...	2	176	22	...	14	5	2	2,100 00	...	...	300 00	600 00
Lake Village & Lake Port	...	14	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	200 00	...
Lacey Circuit...	1	226	9	...	2	10	3	1,000 00	...	100 00	...	...
Hamburg Station...	...	136	39	...	14	8	1	1,500 00	...	625 00	...	375 00
Hamburg Circuit...	1	284	8	...	7	4	7	3,150 00	...	...	...	...
Bartholomew Circuit	3	315	54	...	35	32	7	2,650 00	1	250 00	1,000 00	1,050 00
Palestine Circuit...	2	254	1	...	11	7	5	1,750 00	1	200 00	25 00	10 00
Warren Circuit...	...	250	66	...	42	5	3	2,200 00	1	1,000 00	...	138 50
Total .....	15	2553	364	...	220	101	37	\$ 23,550 00	8	\$ 4,825 00	1,625 00	\$ 3,625 50
Total last year...	17	2472	...	...	86	58	32	23,735 00	8	4,950 00	300 00	4,151 75
Increase .....	...	81	...	...	144	43	5	...	...	...	1,325 00	...
Decrease .....	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	185 00	...	125 00	...	526 25

## RECAPITULATION.

CHARGES.	Local Preachers.	White Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	Adults Baptised.	Infants Baptised.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Little Rock District.	23	3,845	409	98	343	186	45	\$40,950 00	3	\$1,590 00	\$1,550 00	\$2,612 00
Pine Bluff District.	21	3,080	...	...	320	89	44	21,545 00	3	12,680 00	325 00	1,236 50
Arkadelphia District	36	5,236	...	...	353	112	60	34,157 00	11	7,840 00	5,475 00	2,063 57
Washing on District	51	3,976	...	...	372	133	42	20,400 00	7	2,580 00	600 00	452 65
Camden District....	20	3,935	...	...	312	99	65	26,100 00	8	4,750 00	862 00	2,517 75
Monticello District..	15	2,553	...	...	220	101	37	23,550 00	8	4,825 00	1,625 00	3,625 50
Total .....	166	22,625	...	...	1920	720	293	\$166,702 00	40	\$24,365 00	\$10,437 00	\$12,757 97
Total last year ....	180	2,073	...	...	1653	779	261	158,095 00	42	23,767 35	4,482 00	16,078 98
Increase .....	...	1,894	...	...	267	...	32	8,607 00	...	497 65	5,955 00	...
Decrease .....	24	...	...	...	...	59	...	...	2	...	...	3,321 01

## SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

## LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for S. S Literature.	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Little Rock, First Church.....	1	24	200	\$200 00	\$32 10	.....
Little Rock, Spring Street.....	1	22	150	64 66	18 80	.....
Benton Station.....	1	20	100	25 00	.....	.....
Benton Circuit.....	8	34	278	24 00	.....	.....
Collegeville Circuit.....	3	24	110	26 45	13 00	.....
Mamelle Circuit.....	3	21	115	2 00	.....	.....
Liberty and Pleasant Grove.....	2	2	20	.....	.....	.....
Lonoke Station.....	1	14	130	55 00	.....	.....
Austin Circuit.....	6	38	270	38 00	.....	.....
Hickory Plains Circuit.....	3	19	125	22 50	1 15	.....
Hazen Circuit.....	5	27	153	11 20	.....	.....
Des Arc Station.....	3	16	160	40 00	2 50	.....
Carlisle Circuit.....	5	40	195	50 00	.....	.....
Galloway Circuit.....	5	18	200	15 00	.....	.....
Total.....	47	315	2206	\$573 81	\$67 55	.....
Total last year.....	50	313	2252	618 75	.....	.....
Increase.....	...	2	...	...	...	.....
Decrease .....	3	...	46	64 94	.....	.....

## MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

Monticello Station.....	1	13	169	\$23 00	\$.....	\$.....
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	4	39	281	27 35	.....	.....
Selma Circuit.....	2	14	100	10 30	.....	.....
Arkansas City Circuit.....	1	8	40	15 00	.....	.....
Holly Grove Circuit.....	2	8	57	5 71	.....	.....
Lake Village and Lake Port Circuit.....	2	8	65	24 50	16 70	.....
Lacey Circuit.....	2	10	83	5 00	.....	.....
Hamburg Station.....	1	12	100	20 00	29 00	.....
Hamburg Circuit.....	6	30	125	30 00	.....	.....
Bartholomew Circuit.....	7	24	165	33 20	4 40	.....
Palestine Circuit.....	4	18	173	6 50	.....	.....
Warren Circuit.....	3	20	232	32 60	7 10	46 00
Total.....	35	204	1584	233 00	57 26	46 00
Total last year.....	40	231	1595	241 00	.....	.....
Increase.....	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Decrease .....	5	27	13	8 15	.....	.....



## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	Money Expended for S. S. Literature.	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects
Washington Circuit.....	9	47	301	\$ 71 69	\$ 1 95	.....
Fulton Circuit.....	3	15	125	9 00	.....	.....
Hope Station.....	1	8	96	24 95	.....	.....
Prescott Station.....	1	13	113	43 92	39 00	.....
Midway Circuit.....	10	56	474	67 45	.....	.....
Mineral Springs Circuit.....	6	36	310	52 15	.....	.....
Center Point Circuit.....	2	16	125	20 00	.....	.....
Richmond and Rocky Comfort.....	2	18	110	65 00	.....	.....
Little River Circuit.....	2	6	40	1 65	.....	.....
Peytonville.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lockesburg Circuit.....	4	20	230	20 00	.....	.....
Chapel Hill.....	5	25	140	10 00	.....	.....
Saline.....	4	18	186	1 50	.....	.....
Cove Mission.....	3	10	100	.....	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	4	24	147	15 15	.....	.....
Total.....	61	312	2497	\$ 402 46	\$ 40 95	.....
Total last year.....	57	295	2371	374 38	.....	.....
Increase.....	4	17	126	28 08	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Camden Station.....	1	20	170	\$ 67 60	.....	.....
Camden Circuit.....	6	20	150	10 00	.....	.....
Quachita Circuit.....	7	22	196	26 00	.....	.....
Carolina Circuit.....	7	37	345	16 50	.....	.....
Buckner Circuit.....	5	20	125	23 40	.....	.....
Magnolia Station.....	1	14	192	18 00	.....	.....
Stephens Circuit.....	8	46	405	36 00	.....	.....
Atlanta Circuit.....	4	15	150	7 85	.....	.....
Eldorado Circuit.....	3	17	75	8 53	.....	.....
Lapile Circuit.....	4	.....	.....	10 95	.....	.....
Hampton.....	3	15	121	13 00	.....	.....
Bearden Mission.....	1	6	50	5 00	.....	.....
Bright Star Circuit.....	2	19	83	8 50	.....	.....
Texarkana.....	3	9	75	4 00	.....	.....
Total.....	55	260	2137	\$ 255 33	.....	.....
Total last year.....	39	215	1878	220 81	.....	.....
Increase.....	16	45	259	34 52	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

Pine Bluff Station.....	1	29	140	\$ 105 00	\$ 10 55	.....
Sheridan Circuit.....	5	30	168	26 00	.....	.....
Toledo Circuit.....	5	26	183	25 00	.....	.....
New Edinburg Circuit.....	8	35	300	35 00	.....	.....
Lehi Circuit.....	4	26	220	26 00	.....	.....
Star City Circuit.....	3	16	125	9 40	.....	.....
Auburn Circuit.....	4	18	50	12 00	.....	.....
De Witt Circuit.....	5	25	125	25 00	.....	.....
White River Circuit.....	2	9	97	17 00	.....	.....
Old River Circuit.....	1	6	40	15 00	2 50	.....
Flat Bayou Circuit.....	6	23	110	20 00	.....	.....
Pine Bluff Mission.....	4	19	142	21 60	.....	.....
Arkansas Post.....	2	10	50	20 00	.....	.....
Total.....	50	272	1750	\$ 367 00	\$ 13 05	.....
Total last year.....	38	191	1319	326 15	.....	.....
Increase.....	12	81	431	30 85	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Money Expended for S. S. Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Arkadelphia Station.....	1	22	125	\$ 104 88	\$ 5 30	\$.....
Clark Circuit.....	6	41	400	40 45		
Amity Circuit.....	4	28	206	28 00		
Gurdon Circuit.....	3	16	125	55 25		
Caddo Circuit.....	4	18	150	5 00		
Cedar Glade Mission.....	2	6	50	2 00		
Mt. Ida Circuit.....	8	35	255	15 79		
Hot Springs Station.....	2	16	190	66 70	25 00	
Hot Springs Circuit.....	4	30	180	7 20		
Malvern Station.....	2	18	125	38 43	5 05	38 45
Malvern Circuit.....	6	31	259	22 20		
Social Hill Circuit.....	8	31	250	30 00		
Tulip Circuit.....	6	30	207	24 52		35 00
Princeton Circuit.....	6	32	240	15 00	2 80	
Murfreesboro Circuit.....	5	30	180	18 00		
Total.....	67	384	2942	\$ 473 42	\$ 38 15	\$ 73 45
Total last year.....	50	325	2621	481 07	38 15	73 45
Increase.....	17	59	321			
Decrease.....				7 65		

## RECAPITULATION.

Little Rock District.....	47	315	2206	\$ 573 81	\$ 67 55	\$.....
Pine Bluff District.....	50	272	1750	367 00	12 15	
Arkadelphia District.....	67	384	2942	473 42	38 15	73 45
Washington District.....	61	312	2497	402 46	40 95	
Camden District.....	55	260	2137	255 33		
Monticello District.....	35	204	1534	233 16	57 20	46 00
Total.....	315	1747	13,116	\$2305 18	\$216 00	\$119 45
Total last year.....	283	1570	12,038	2262 47		
Increase.....	32	177	1,078	142 71		
Decrease.....						

## FINANCE.

### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CH'GE.		BISHOPS.		CONF CLAIMANTS.		OTHER OBJECTS.
	Assessed.	Paid	Assessed	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	
Little Rock, First Church.....	\$ 225 00	\$ 225 00	\$ 1800 00	\$ 1800 00	\$ 12 00	\$ 12 00	\$ 144 00	\$ 144 00	\$ 629 82
Little Rock, Spring Street Church .....	90 00	65 95	700 00	507 56	8 50	8 50	56 00	56 00	168 25
Benton Station .....	65 00	51 25	400 00	315 35	8 00	8 00	32 00	30 00	.....
Benton Circuit .....	80 00	70 00	530 00	440 00	8 00	8 00	40 00	40 00	.....
Collegeville Circuit.....	65 00	56 50	450 00	400 30	8 00	8 00	36 00	15 00	.....
Mamelle Circuit.....	60 00	24 75	400 00	163 25	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberty and Pleasant Grove.....	50 00	50 00	500 00	500 00	7 00	7 00	35 00	35 00	.....
Lonoke Station.....	85 00	65 00	600 00	444 50	8 00	8 00	48 00	40 00	.....
Austin Circuit.....	90 00	70 50	660 00	550 00	8 00	8 00	60 00	30 00	.....
Hickory Plains Circuit.....	80 00	27 80	500 00	260 00	8 00	8 00	40 00	4 00	.....
Des Arc Station.....	60 00	60 00	500 00	425 00	7 00	7 00	40 00	20 00	5 00
Hazen Circuit.....	50 00	40 00	260 00	162 00	7 00	7 00	20 00	.....	.....
Carlisle Circuit.....	90 00	71 00	630 00	571 50	8 00	.....	50 40	40 00	.....
Galloway Circuit.....	45 00	45 00	327 00	260 00	7 00	7 00	.....	2 00	5 00
Total.....	\$ 1135 00	\$ 722 25	\$ 8257 00	\$ 6799 46	\$ 110 00	\$ 110 00	\$ 633 40	\$ 461 05	\$.....
Total last year.....	1220 00	972 18	8767 50	6839 78	107 00	.....	.....	531 10	.....
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	249 93	.....	40 32	.....	.....	.....	67 05	.....

### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

Pine Bluff Station.....	\$ 260 00	\$ 260 00	\$ 1000 00	\$ 1000 00	\$ 13 00	\$ 13 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 80 00	\$.....
Sheridan Circuit.....	80 00	45 00	400 00	226 41	5 00	5 00	32 00	26 15	.....
Toledo Circuit .....	90 00	47 00	500 00	270 00	5 00	5 00	40 00	40 00	.....
New Edinburg Circuit.....	90 00	66 00	410 00	333 34	5 50	5 50	32 00	20 00	.....
Lehi Circuit .....	90 00	54 00	500 00	330 00	6 00	6 00	40 00	30 00	.....
Star City Circuit.....	50 00	40 00	200 00	160 00	5 50	5 50	16 00	13 00	.....
Auburn Circuit.....	60 00	58 00	330 00	347 00	6 00	6 00	.....	18 60	.....
DeWitt Circuit.....	75 00	46 65	365 00	210 00	5 00	5 00	16 00	20 00	5 00
White River Circuit.....	100 00	61 00	315 00	185 40	5 00	5 00	25 00	25 00	.....
Old River Circuit.....	60 00	55 00	300 00	300 00	5 00	5 00	24 00	15 00	.....
Flat Bayou.....	125 00	49 80	762 50	298 20	8 00	8 00	61 20	.....	.....
Pine Bluff Mission.....	30 00	2 00	400 00	24 90	.....	.....	.....	7 45	.....
Arkansas Post.....	60 00	44 44	300 00	222 20	5 00	5 00	24 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$ 1170 00	\$ 830 19	\$ 5782 50	\$ 3907 45	\$ 74 00	\$ 74 00	\$ 390 20	\$ 295 30	\$ 5 00
Total last year.....	.....	657 25	.....	3526 87	.....	78 15	.....	254 05	.....
Increase.....	.....	172 94	.....	380 56	.....	.....	.....	41 25	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 15	.....	.....	.....

# ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CH'GE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CLAIMANTS.		OTHER OBJECTS.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Paid.
Arkadelphia Station.....	\$ 125 00	\$ 107 60	\$ 700 00	\$ 610 20	\$ 10 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 56 00	\$ 56 00	\$ 38 57
Clark Circuit.....	125 00	100 70	750 00	605 52	12 00	12 00	60 00	60 00	.....
Amity Circuit.....	75 00	47 15	375 00	225 75	7 00	7 00	30 00	15 00	.....
Gurdon Circuit.....	50 00	40 00	450 00	350 00	5 00	5 00	36 00	42 35	11 50
Caddo Circuit.....	60 00	25 54	292 00	127 70	5 00	5 00	32 00	6 90	.....
Cedar Glade Mission.....	25 00	22 50	163 00	157 57	2 50	2 50	.....	.....	.....
Mount Ida Circuit.....	55 00	42 82	330 00	256 75	5 00	5 00	26 40	20 00	.....
Hot Springs Station.....	196 00	142 21	1000 00	710 00	12 00	12 00	.....	55 00	300 00
Hot Springs Circuit.....	50 00	19 96	400 00	158 33	5 00	5 00	32 00	12 50	.....
Malvern Station.....	125 00	99 45	700 00	557 10	10 00	10 00	56 00	42 00	.....
Malvern Circuit.....	50 00	43 35	320 00	265 05	5 00	5 00	25 60	17 00	3 50
Social Hill Circuit.....	60 00	29 00	300 00	135 00	5 00	5 00	24 00	6 00	.....
Tulip Circuit.....	85 00	86 00	415 00	420 00	10 00	10 00	33 50	34 00	.....
Princeton Circuit.....	100 00	90 25	500 00	450 70	12 00	12 00	40 00	40 00	9 50
Murfreesboro Circuit.....	50 00	28 80	300 00	14 59	5 00	5 00	24 00	11 00	3 75
Total.....	\$ 1231 00	\$ 886 98	\$ 6995 00	\$ 4664 11	\$ 110 50	\$ 110 50	\$ 475 50	\$ 417 75	\$ 366 82
Total last year.....	1205 00	797 00	6600 00	4865 29	.....	104 75	.....	472 10	.....
Decrease.....	.....	89 98	.....	.....	.....	5 75	.....	.....	.....
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	201 18	.....	.....	.....	54 35	.....

# CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Camden Station.....	\$ 100 00	\$ 100 00	\$ 700 00	\$ 700 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 56 00	\$ 56 00	\$.....
Camden Circuit.....	80 00	74 80	400 00	375 85	8 00	8 00	32 00	20 00	.....
Ouachita Circuit.....	60 00	36 00	300 00	123 00	6 00	6 00	17 00	11 00	.....
Carolina Circuit.....	65 00	65 00	400 00	400 00	8 00	8 00	32 00	25 00	.....
Buckner Circuit.....	75 00	55 70	500 00	455 75	6 00	6 00	40 00	33 00	.....
Magnolia Circuit.....	85 00	85 00	500 00	500 00	8 00	8 00	40 00	40 00	120 00
Stephens Circuit.....	80 00	80 00	500 00	416 00	8 00	8 00	40 00	40 00	.....
Atlanta Circuit.....	75 00	64 31	300 00	257 24	6 00	6 00	24 00	24 00	.....
El Dorado Circuit.....	100 00	100 00	555 00	555 00	10 00	10 00	44 00	45 00	92 00
Lapile Circuit.....	60 00	47 90	305 00	231 82	6 00	6 00	24 00	17 00	8 50
Hampton Circuit.....	85 00	67 00	425 00	336 00	7 00	7 00	34 00	20 00	.....
Bearden Mission.....	50 00	40 95	175 00	165 00	5 00	5 00	14 00	14 00	.....
Bright Star Circuit.....	60 00	35 00	350 00	151 00	6 00	6 00	28 00	10 00	15 00
Texarkana Circuit.....	50 00	30 00	250 00	149 75	6 00	6 00	21 00	25 00	.....
Total.....	\$ 925 00	\$ 881 66	\$ 5660 00	\$ 4787 41	\$ 100 00	\$ 100 00	\$ 446 00	\$ 380 00	\$ 328 50
Total last year.....	945 00	816 68	5135 00	4356 18	.....	102 20	.....	341 00	.....
Increase.....	.....	64 98	525 00	431 23	.....	.....	.....	36 00	.....
Decrease.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 20	.....	.....	.....

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CH'GE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CLAIMANTS		OTHER OBJECTS.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	P id.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	
Washington Circuit.....	\$ 100 00	\$ 73 89	\$ 700 00	\$ 517 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 10 90	\$ 65 00	\$ 40 00	\$.....
Fulton Circuit.....	65 00	54 00	400 00	330 00	6 50	6 50	32 00	30 20	3 00
Hope Station.....	75 00	58 40	600 00	463 50	7 50	7 50	48 00	24 50	.....
Prescott Station.....	100 00	83 73	720 00	602 87	10 00	.....	57 60	25 00	.....
Midway Circuit.....	90 00	54 20	665 00	404 80	9 00	9 00	53 00	45 80	.....
Mineral Springs Circuit.....	90 00	71 00	500 00	390 00	9 00	5 95	40 00	40 00	.....
Center Point Circuit.....	100 00	82 00	500 00	408 35	10 00	10 00	40 00	35 00	11 00
Richmond and Rocky Comfort Circuit.....	55 00	55 00	600 00	600 00	6 00	6 00	48 00	48 00	.....
Litt'e River Mission.....	25 00	17 36	100 00	69 47	2 50	2 50	8 00	.....	.....
Peytonville Circuit.....	45 00	13 30	175 00	69 00	.....	.....	14 00	16 00	.....
Lockesburg Circuit.....	95 00	59 61	600 00	376 53	10 00	10 00	48 00	42 00	.....
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	40 00	29 00	400 00	320 00	4 00	.....	32 00	22 75	.....
Saline Circuit.....	40 00	28 60	220 00	106 20	4 00	4 00	17 60	13 00	.....
Cove Mission.....	25 00	1 00	100 00	57 75	2 50	2 50	6 00	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	55 00	36 25	300 00	217 65	5 50	5 50	24 00	2 00	.....
Total.....	\$ 1000 00	\$ 717 34	\$ 6580 00	\$ 5007 38	\$ 95 50	\$ 74 35	\$ 533 20	\$ 384 30	\$14 00
Total last year.....	1005 00	663 29	6900 00	5052 22	.....	102 10	.....	301 60	.....
Increase.....	.....	54 05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82 70	.....
Decrease.....	5 00	.....	320 00	44 84	.....	27 75	.....	.....	.....

## MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

Monticello Station.....	\$ 130 00	\$ 130 00	\$ 600 00	\$ 600 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 48 00	\$ 50 00	\$ 52 00
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	105 00	79 20	600 00	480 00	10 00	10 00	48 00	48 00	6 00
Selma Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	425 00	.....	8 00	8 00	34 00	14 00	.....
Arkansas City Station.....	90 00	80 00	500 00	441 00	9 00	9 00	40 00	.....	32 00
Holly Grove Circuit.....	105 00	62 80	500 00	322 20	9 00	9 00	40 00	40 00	.....
Lake Village and Lake Port Circuit.....	100 00	100 00	800 00	800 00	10 00	10 00	.....	20 00	30 65
Lacey Circuit.....	55 00	30 25	350 00	188 05	7 00	7 00	27 60	11 40	.....
Hamburg Station.....	130 00	130 00	600 00	600 00	10 00	10 00	48 00	48 00	200 00
Hamburg Circuit.....	105 00	55 00	270 00	166 05	9 00	9 00	21 50	15 50	.....
Bartholomew Circuit.....	130 00	81 50	500 00	407 47	9 00	9 00	40 00	40 00	.....
Palestine Circuit.....	70 00	40 70	400 00	253 00	7 00	7 00	32 00	10 00	.....
Warren Circuit.....	105 00	77 41	493 00	500 00	10 00	10 00	39 44	39 44	100 00
Total.....	\$ 1200 00	\$ 941 86	\$ 6038 00	\$ 4767 77	\$ 108 00	\$ 108 00	\$ 418 54	\$ 331 44	\$ 420 65
Total last year.....	1200 00	886 02	5600 00	4343 53	.....	111 00	.....	261 05	.....
Increase.....	.....	55 84	438 00	424 24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 00	.....	70 39	.....

# RECAPITULATION.

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.	PRESIDING ELDER		PREACHER IN CH'GE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CLAIMANTS.		OTHER OBJECTS.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Paid.
Little Rock District.....	\$ 1135 00	\$ 722 25	\$ 8257 00	\$ 6799 46	\$ 110 00	\$ 110 00	\$ 633 40	\$ 464 05	\$ 808 07
Pin Bluff District.....	1170 00	830 19	5782 50	3907 45	74 00	74 00	390 20	295 30	.....
Arkadelphia District.....	1231 00	886 98	6995 00	4664 11	110 50	110 50	475 50	417 75	366 22
Washington District.....	1000 00	717 34	6580 00	5007 39	95 50	74 35	533 20	384 30	14 00
Camden District.....	925 00	881 66	5660 00	4787 41	100 00	100 00	446 00	380 00	338 50
Monticello District.....	1200 00	941 86	6038 00	4767 77	108 00	108 00	418 54	331 44	420 65
Total.....	\$ 6661 00	\$4978 78	\$39,325 00	\$29,933 58	\$ 598 00	\$ 576 85	\$ 2396 84	\$ 2272 84	\$1948 04
Total last year.....	6534 00	4792 75	37,877 50	28,983 87	.....	605 20	.....	2163 90	.....
Increase.....	.....	86 03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	108 94	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28 35	.....	.....	.....

## FINANCE—CONTINUED.

### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.		CHURCH EXTENSION.		Education.	Bible Cause.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.		
Little Rock, First Church.....	\$ 205 00	\$ 205 00	\$ 68 00	\$ 68 00	\$ 25 00	\$ 25 00	\$ 117 35	\$ 52 00
Little Rock, Spring Street.....	96 00	112 50	32 00	35 00	.....	30 00	1 00	4 00
Benton Station.....	65 00	65 00	21 66	15 00	20 00	20 00	.....	.....
Benton Circuit.....	70 00	40 00	30 00	10 00	25 00	10 00	.....	3 00
Collegeville Circuit.....	81 00	75 20	27 00	20 00	.....	8 00	.....	14 35
Mamelle Circuit.....	60 00	4 95	20 00	.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....
Liberty and Pleasant Grove.....	.....	30 00	.....	25 00	.....	15 00	.....	.....
Lonoke Station.....	91 00	70 30	31 00	31 00	.....	10 00	.....	18 00
Austin Circuit.....	90 00	50 00	30 00	25 00	.....	7 00	.....	.....
Hickory Plains.....	91 00	9 00	31 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Des Arc Station.....	.....	30 00	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	20 00	2 00
Hazen Circuit.....	70 00	8 05	24 00	.....	25 00	.....	.....	.....
Carlisle Circuit.....	90 00	45 00	25 00	13 45	.....	.....	.....	16 40
Galloway Circuit.....	.....	2 00	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$ 1009 00	\$ 747 01	\$ 339 66	\$ 259 45	\$ 115 00	\$ 135 00	\$ 138 35	\$ 109 75
Total last year.....	.....	704 65	.....	272 05	.....	193 00	.....	.....
Increase.....	.....	42 36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	12 60	.....	58 00	.....	.....

## ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION.		Education.	Bible Cause.
	Assessed.	Paid	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.		
Arkadelphia Station.....	\$ 105 00	\$ 113 50	\$ 40 00	\$ 40 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 5 00	\$ 18 55
Clark Circuit.....	110 00	110 00	42 00	42 00	32 00	32 00	20 00	4 35
Amity Circuit.....	66 00	27 00	25 00	8 00	18 00	6 00		3 35
Gurdon Circuit.....	44 00	45 00	17 00	17 00	13 00	13 00		
Caddo Circuit.....	52 00	15 50	20 00	5 00	17 00	2 10		1 00
Cedar Glade Mission...	22 00	10 00	8 00	5 10	6 00			
Mt. Ida Circuit.....	50 00	25 70	18 00	18 00	14 00	11 85		50
Hot Springs.....		20 00		25 00				40 00
Hot Springs Circuit.....	44 00	20 00	17 00	6 00		2 00		
Malvern Station.....	105 00	77 00	40 00	29 00	30 00	22 00		18 50
Malvern Circuit.....	44 00	15 00	17 00	10 00	13 00	1 40		
Social Hill Circuit.....	50 00	15 00	20 00	6 00	15 00	3 00		
Tulip Circuit.....	74 00	74 00	28 00	28 00	20 00	20 00		8 00
Princeton Circuit.....	90 00	100 00	34 00	35 00	25 00	25 00		
Murfreesboro.....	44 00	20 00	17 00	11 00	13 00	8 00		
Total.....	\$ 900 00	\$ 687 70	\$ 343 00	\$ 285 55	\$ 246 00	\$ 176 35	\$ 25 00	\$ 94 25
Total last year.....		793 25		273 25		165 15		
Increase.....				12 30		11 20		
Decrease.....		105 55						

## PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

Pine Bluff Station.....	\$ 125 00	\$ 135 55	\$ 42 00	\$ 42 00	\$ 40 00	\$ 40 00		\$.
Sheridan Circuit.....	50 00	35 00	20 00	16 90	15 00	5 00		
Toledo Circuit.....	48 00	48 00	16 00	16 00	25 00	10 00		
New Edinburg Circuit.....	48 00	30 00	16 00	10 00	20 00	5 00		3 00
Lehi Circuit.....	48 00	20 00	16 00	16 00	25 00			
Star City Circuit.....	48 00	4 00	16 00	2 50		2 00		35
Auburn Circuit.....		11 50		8 00				
De Witt Circuit.....	69 00	43 80	26 50	16 25	25 00	15 15		4 00
White River Circuit.....	48 00	48 00	16 00	12 00	16 00	10 00		
Old River Circuit.....	48 00	5 00	18 00	18 00				
Flat Bayou Circuit.....	78 00	70 00	25 00	22 00	20 00	11 00		
Pine Bluff Mission.....		6 40		6 40				
Arkansas Post.....	48 00	40 00	16 00	16 00	20 00	6 20		2 00
Total.....	\$ 658 00	\$ 497 25	\$ 227 50	\$ 202 05	\$ 206 00	\$ 104 35		\$ 9 35
Total last year.....		398 00		137 25		81 10		
Increase.....		92 25		64 80		23 25		
Decrease.....								



# CAMDEN DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.		CHURCH EXTENSION.		Education.	Bible Causc.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.		
Camden Station.....	\$ 100 00	\$ 120 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 25 00	\$ 25 00	\$.....	\$.....
Camden Circuit.....	75 00	55 00	22 00	10 40	20 00	4 00	.....	.....
Ouachita Circuit.....	50 00	45 00	25 00	10 00	15 00	.....	.....	.....
Carolina Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	22 00	10 00	18 00	5 00	.....	.....
Buckner Circuit.....	60 00	55 00	22 50	16 00	15 00	6 00	.....	4 00
Magnolia Station.....	75 00	75 00	22 00	22 00	20 00	20 00	.....	.....
Stephens Circuit.....	70 00	85 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	20 00	30 00	.....
Atlanta Circuit.....	40 00	45 00	20 00	20 00	15 00	15 00	.....	.....
Eldorado Circuit.....	100 00	140 00	30 00	30 00	25 00	25 00	.....	5 00
Lapile Circuit.....	50 00	50 00	20 00	20 00	15 00	8 75	.....	.....
Hampton Circuit.....	95 00	50 00	20 00	5 00	12 00	5 00	.....	.....
Bearden Mission.....	35 00	38 40	15 00	15 00	10 00	10 00	.....	.....
Bright Star Circuit.....	55 00	27 00	20 00	6 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....
Texarkana Circuit.....	40 00	40 00	20 00	21 00	13 00	13 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$ 960 00	\$ 900 40	\$ 308 00	\$ 235 90	\$ 243 00	\$ 156 75	\$ 30 00	\$ 9 00
Total last year.....	.....	948 55	.....	254 10	.....	170 05	.....	.....
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	48 15	.....	18 20	.....	13 30	.....	.....

# MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

Monticello Station.....	\$ 111 00	\$ 100 00	\$ 38 00	\$ 38 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 5 00	\$.....	\$.....
Mt Pleasant Circuit.....	89 80	150 00	30 50	38 00	21 75	11 25	.....	.....
Selma Circuit.....	64 00	16 00	21 50	.....	16 75	2 30	.....	.....
Arkansas City Circuit.....	70 00	15 00	26 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00
Holly Grove Circuit.....	89 00	68 00	40 30	30 50	21 75	21 75	.....	.....
Lake Village and Lake Port Circuit.....	85 00	26 50	29 00	3 00	20 75	2 50	.....	.....
Lacy Circuit.....	47 00	12 00	15 00	9 00	12 00	7 40	5 00	.....
Hamburg Station.....	111 15	115 00	39 00	39 00	26 50	26 50	45 00	20 00
Hamburg Circuit.....	89 00	22 00	30 00	12 50	21 00	10 00	21 00	2 00
Bartholomew Circuit.....	111 15	84 00	38 00	38 00	26 75	.....	.....	.....
Palestine Circuit.....	59 00	20 00	20 00	5 00	15 00	1 50	.....	.....
Warren Circuit.....	89 80	89 80	30 50	30 50	21 75	21 75	.....	6 35
Total.....	\$ 1116 70	\$ 718 70	\$ 348 00	\$ 240 50	\$ 234 00	\$ 109 95	\$ 71 00	\$ 38 35
Total last year.....	.....	557 15	.....	145 50	.....	94 80	.....	.....
Increase.....	.....	161 55	.....	95 00	.....	15 15	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....



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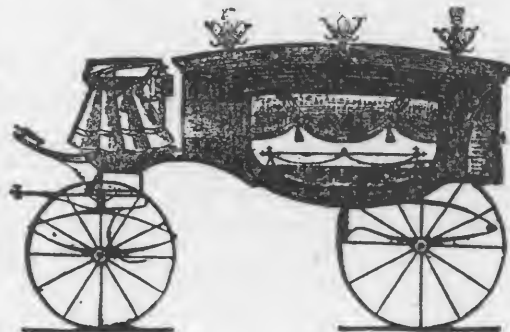
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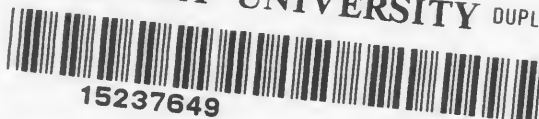
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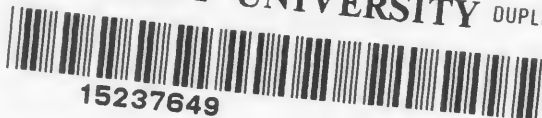
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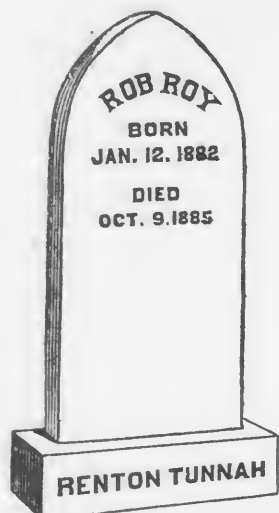
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